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Week ended May 21, 1904.

NAPLES.

Date.	Name of ship.	Destination.	Steerage passengers inspected and passed.	Pieces of large baggage inspected and passed.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.	Number of steerage passengers recommended for rejection.
May 18	Citta di Torino.....	New York	1,048	125	1,157	37
18	Calabria	do	966	140	1,038	22

JAPAN.

Report from Yokohama—Inspection of vessels—No cholera or plague except in Formosa.

Assistant Surgeon Moore reports, May 6, as follows:

During the week ended April 30, 1904, two vessels, having an aggregate personnel of 186 crew and 625 passengers, were inspected; 310 steerage passengers were bathed and 467 pieces of baggage were disinfected.

The report of contagious diseases in Yokohama for the week ended April 23, 1904, is as follows: Enteric fever, 4 cases, no deaths; diphtheria, 6 cases, 2 deaths; dysentery, 1 case, no deaths. Japan, excluding Formosa, seems to continue free from cholera and plague.

MEXICO.

Reports from Progreso and Merida—Inspection of vessels—Yellow fever in Merida.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Harrison reports as follows: Week ended May 16, 1904. Present officially estimated population, 8,000. No yellow fever in Progreso. Number of deaths during the week not reported. General sanitary condition of port and tributary country during the week has been good. In Merida there are now several cases of yellow fever declared and suspected.

Bills of health were issued to following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Crew.	Passengers from Progreso.	Passengers in transit.
May 9	Daggry	New York	17	0	0
9	Vedar	do	20	0	0
9	Fred W. Ayer	Mobile	7	0	0
10	Alm	do	24	1	0
14	Monterey	New York	96	42	159
15	Egda	Boston	24	0	0

Week ended May 24, 1904: Population officially estimated, at present, 8,000. Deaths from following causes: One pernicious fever, 1 erysipelas, 1 gastro-enteritis, 1 gastro-intestinal fever, 1 malaria, 1 cerebral disease. General sanitary condition of the port and tributary country during the week, good. Several cases of yellow fever and "suspected" in Merida during the week.